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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
DelDuca et al
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Serial No.: 09/346,752
) Examiner: LaToya Cross
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For: Oxygen Scavenger Accelerator

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

A petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a <u>one</u> month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed May 23, 2000. If this petition is granted, the new response date will be Monday, September 25, 2000, September 23, 2000 being Saturday.

If these papers are not considered timely filed with the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary additional time to make these papers timely, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 10-0447.

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